

Thanksgiving Day

You should observe Thanksgiving Day this year as never before. The war is over and the boys are coming home. Have you decided all the details of your dinner? Perhaps a glance through this list will help.

CRANBERRIES
RED APPLES
COOKING APPLES
CELERY—EXTRA FINE
GREEN PEAS
BETS, CARROTS, ETC.
ALMONDS
BRAZILS
FILBERTS
WALNUTS
GENUINE
MARTIN'S CHEESE

SEEDED RAISINS
FIGS
FRESH SWEET CIDER
APPLE BUTTER
HEINZ MINCE MEAT
HEINZ PLUM PUDDING
HEINZ FIG PUDDING
MARASCHINO CHERRIES
GRAPE JUICE
LOGANBERRY JUICE
PINEAPPLE JUICE

MARKET
Order your meats early. We have a complete selection now, but the supply of poultry is not large and may be exhausted before Thanksgiving Day.
TURKEYS } Dressed to order
CHICKENS }
LEG-O'-LAMB } Gov't
POT ROAST } Inspected
PORK ROAST } Meats Only
STEAKS }
CHOPS }
Why not let us roast it for you in the big oven? Only 25c
Bring it in by 9 o'clock on Thanksgiving morning.

BAKERY
MINCE PIES Regular Size 15c
From home-made mince meat.
PUMPKIN PIES Large Family Size 35c
Eastern pumpkin only.
APPLE PIES 40c
Fruit Cake, per lb. 40c
Lager Cake, each 30c
Loaf Cake 20c
Dutch Apple Cake 25c
Doughnuts, Cookies, etc. 15c
All of the above is genuine New England cooking.
Let us **ROAST YOUR TURKEY** in the big oven. Only 25c. Bring it in by 9 o'clock Thanksgiving morning.

And be sure to include
PURITAN BREAD
PURITAN BUTTER
TOP-NOTCH COFFEE
Orders of \$1.00 or more delivered free.

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COVINA, CAL.

KEEP AN EXPENSE ACCOUNT

By keeping an account of your expenses, you will see where the money goes—and it will enable you to put a check on the purchase of unnecessary luxuries. It has helped many to increase their bank accounts, and it will no doubt, be of assistance to you.

Start an account with the Covina Valley Savings Bank. 4% interest paid.

Covina Valley Savings Bank

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(THE ASSOCIATED BANKS)

STAR THEATER
LULU A. DIETZ, Owner and Manager.
Two Shows Nightly at 7 and 8:45—Saturday Matinee at 3



¶ This theatre is closed by order of the local board of health.

¶ Public Institutions are allowed to remain open.

Is This Fair?

Milton Kanode Killed In Country's Service

While prayers of thankfulness for promised peace were ascending from many hearts on Sunday morning, a shadow was cast over the congregation at the Methodist church during the service, when a brief notice was handed the pastor announcing that Milton Kanode, a former resident of this city and an attendant of the church, had been killed in France.

Unofficial information was received of the young man's death through a soldier's letter, written by one who had been wounded by a fragment of the shell that had instantly killed Kanode. The young soldier went to France from Camp Lewis, Washington, and at the time of his death, October 4, was a member of company F, 361st infantry, 91st division. He had two brothers in the service in France. His parents reside in Topeka, Kansas.

During his residence in Covina the young man made his home with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hull on West Center street. He was a clerk in the Chaffey grocery store. He was a manly young fellow, with a happy disposition. For nearly a year prior to being called in the draft, young Kanode was a mail sorter in the Los Angeles postoffice.

Under the gold stars in the Covina service flag now stand emblazoned the names of Lieutenant Theodore Kirk, Carl Kohlmeier, Harry M. Lockwood, and Milton Kanode.

It is a sad coincidence that Lieutenant Kirk was the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hull, having married their eldest daughter, Miss May Hull, some two years ago, and young Kanode was the fiancé of the younger daughter, Miss Edith Hull.

ADDITIONAL NAMES ON WAR WORK HONOR ROLL

Due to an oversight at the united war work campaign headquarters, the names contained in receipt book number 14520 were omitted from the honor list published last week. The names are as follows:

Wm. P. Nye, O. F. Keeling, J. H. Boal, A. R. Bryan, Jacob Pfeiffer, C. E. Paige, Chas. A. Leighton, F. M. Clark, Mrs. F. E. Wolfarth, W. W. Nash, C. A. Foreman, A. M. Seeley, Ralph Crook, W. P. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brock, F. C. Devendorf, N. F. Trayer, Mrs. A. Z. Shoemaker, H. B. Allen, Elizabeth Zentner, S. S. Asehenbrenner, T. Cassel, Miss Ruth Tally, Mrs. L. M. Talley, E. E. Kaiser, Miss Fannie Davis, Miss Clara Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Goodfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Drendel, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Woodworth.

PHILLIP LEIGHTON MEMBER OF MOTOR TRUCK CORPS

Phillip Leighton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Leighton of West Badillo street, has become a member of the casual detachment of the motor truck corps No. 555, and is now stationed at Governor's Island, New York. The induction of Mr. Leighton took place a short time before peace was declared. He had tried very hard to become a member of the aviation service early in the war, but was disqualified for slight physical reasons. For some time past he has been doing government work, though not in the government service, in the chemical department of the Dupont powder works in New Jersey.

BANK PRESIDENT NOW RECOVERING FROM INFLUENZA

One of the latest victims in Covina to the "flu" is M. Leonhardt, president of the First National bank. Mr. Leonhardt was stricken on Sunday and for several days a high temperature developed. He is now on the road to recovery and will probably be able to be around as usual next week.

SOLDIER BOY DIES OF INFLUENZA IN FRANCE

Word has been received today that Herbert Gump, formerly of Irwindale, died October 12 in a military hospital in France. Gump went overseas early in July of the present year.

YOUNG MARRIED WOMAN SUCCEUMS TO INFLUENZA

Mrs. Nettie Root, wife of E. E. Root of Baldwin Park, died this week at the Monrovia hospital from influenza.

ONE AND ONE-HALF INCHES OF RAIN SEASON'S TOTAL

The local rainfall for the storm of the present week has been 1.06 inches, making a total for the season of 1.55 inches.

The Argus has hundreds more subscribers than any other valley paper.

Brown Rot on Oranges Preventable by Spraying

The following notes on brown rot of oranges are made by the manager of one of the large Covina packing houses: Now that we have had our first rains, and for those who have fumigated, this will be a splendid time to spray your orange and lemon trees for the prevention of brown rot.

Growers cannot afford, for a few cents per tree, to take the chances of losing fruit from this rot, which is always prevalent during the rainy season. It is very infectious and means a big loss if affected fruit is shipped, as it develops rapidly after being packed and while in transit east.

Many packing houses now refuse to pick or ship the fruit on lower branches unless the trees and ground have been sprayed with Bordeaux mixture, a sure preventative against brown rot.

There are a number of contracting outfits ready to go into the orchards to do this work, and growers should lose no time in getting this work done. Growers belonging to any one of the exchange associations can secure the Bordeaux mixture all ready at their packing houses.

Big War Savings Stamp Honor Week Planned

With the fourth liberty loan campaign successfully completed, Southern California is now called upon to "go over the top" in its war savings quota, which must be subscribed before January 1st.

Southern California's assigned quota is \$21,981,120, maturity value, and the treasury department has reported that up to September 30, this district had made the cash purchase of but \$10,039,265.95 of these "baby bonds," leaving a deficit of an approximate 50 per cent, which the citizens of Southern California must meet within the next few weeks.

In order to stimulate the war savings campaign, and to effect the fulfillment of all pledges made in June, a vigorous canvass, and drive is to be held in the southland during Thanksgiving week, to be known as W. S. S. honor week.

Monday, November 25th, the actual campaign program will be on. In Covina, where the allotment has already been oversubscribed, those who, in June, pledged to purchase a stipulated number of stamps, will be urged to fulfill their pledges by the voluntary buying of war stamps to the amount subscribed. The campaign in Covina is in charge of the local chairman, Rev. C. A. Foreman.

IS THIS FAIR?

Editor Argus: As a business woman I desire to protest against the unfair action of the local health board in closing the Star theater and allowing schools, churches and other places where the public congregate to remain open.

As a citizen I am willing to cooperate in every way to stamp out effectively the disease, but how can this be done by closing my establishment and allowing others to remain open? Such action is unwarranted discrimination. I am sure the public will see the fairness of my contention.

We would suggest to the members of the local health board that the most effective way to stamp out the disease would be to establish a strict quarantine of the families affected and not by closing the theaters, schools and churches. I am informed that the theaters in Los Angeles will open on Monday.

Is this action of the local health board fair to myself and my employees? (MRS.) LULU A. DIETZ.

LABELS RECEIVED FOR SOLDIERS' CHRISTMAS BOXES

Mrs. C. A. Leighton, who is in charge at Red Cross headquarters of the Christmas mail for soldiers overseas, announces that she has received a limited number of labels for the use of relatives who have not yet received the same from their husbands, sons and brothers in the service. These will be available on Monday at the Red Cross rooms.

WALNUT GROWERS REGRET DEATH OF VAN VLIET

At a special meeting of the directors of the Puente Walnut Association held yesterday, resolutions of respect and condolence were passed on the lamented death of Deputy Sheriff George W. Van Vliet. The deceased officer had made a number of arrests of walnut thieves, and his efforts in bringing to justice this class of petty criminal saved the walnut growers of this district many thousands of dollars.

OFFICER VAN VLIET FATALLY SHOT BY GIRL BANDIT AT ARCADIA

Deputy Sheriff George W. Van Vliet of Covina was fatally shot early Tuesday evening at Arcadia by a woman bandit in one of the most sensational gun duels in the criminal history of Los Angeles county. The woman was Marie Celano Jones, who with her husband have been responsible for many desperate crimes—murders, train and bank robberies, and holdups throughout the states of Illinois, Missouri, Colorado, and California.

Mrs. Van Vliet was notified by telephone of the dangerous character of the wound sustained by her husband and an auto was rushed from Arcadia to take her to him. She was accompanied by Miss Mabel Van Vliet, a trained nurse, and sister of the injured man.

Following the shooting Van Vliet had been taken to the military hospital at the balloon school, located about three blocks from the scene of the shooting. By pure strength of will the injured man lived until his wife reached him, and was able to converse with her for ten minutes before he expired.

After death the body was removed to the undertaking parlors of W. Q. Custer, where a coroner's inquest was held yesterday and a verdict returned in accord with the evidence.

For twenty years Mr. Van Vliet had been a resident of Covina. The greater portion of this time he has served the public in the capacity of constable and deputy sheriff. For sixteen years he has been an active deputy in the sheriff's office.

"Fearless and Loyal" should be the inscription placed upon the stone which will mark the last resting place of this gallant officer who was never known to flinch in the face of danger, and whose unselfish loyalty to his friends made him beloved by his fellow officers and a wide circle of friends throughout the county.

He was a devoted husband and a loving father. He has often remarked that his only objection to his position was his enforced absence from home in the course of his duty as transportation deputy. After a trip to San Quentin or Folsom with a prisoner, he always looked forward to the hour of play with his children, Richard, Kenneth and Betty, upon his return.

In accordance with the wishes of the family, simple funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church this (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock. The services will be conducted by the Rev. C. A. Foreman, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Paul Stevens of Pasadena. The interment will take place at Pomona. The pallbearers will be brother officers from the sheriff's office with whom he has worked for the past sixteen years.

IDENTITY OF WOMAN.
The dead woman bandit was the daughter of Peter Celano, who until five years ago conducted a winery one mile southwest of Azusa. The girl received her early education at the Lower Azusa schoolhouse on Broadway. It was this fact that led to the fatal battle, the postal authorities learning that they

were heading for her former haunts, having rented box 195 in the Covina postoffice. The father of the dead girl is in the east, but the mother is in Los Angeles.



GEORGE W. VAN VLIET

STORY OF THE TRAGEDY.

Hunted in a hundred cities, wanted for his connection with dozens of holdups, bank robberies and shootings, Forbes, whose real name was Dale Jones, lived the life of an outlaw and died like a desperado of the Nick Carter type. At bay, he leaped from his automobile and directed a stream of bullets at county officers and two Pinkerton detectives until he went down in a sudden death with a charge of buckshot in his body.

No less spectacular was the tragic end of his wife, a Los Angeles girl, aged 22, who is said to have assisted him in staging holdups, bank robberies and other lawless escapades. Crouching in her seat behind the wheel of an automobile, she trained an automatic revolver upon her would-be captors and kept up an incessant fusillade until her life was ended by a bullet from the gun of one of the deputy sheriffs.

HIDING IN HILLS.

Deputy sheriffs had been on the trail of Forbes for two weeks. With Pinkerton men, who also sought the bandit for his participation in bank robberies, the deputies learned that Forbes and his wife were living in the hills north of Arcadia. It was learned that they frequently supplied their automobile with gasoline at the White Oaks filling station, belonging to R. Kreks, Jr., at the corner of Foothill boulevard and Double drive, about a quarter of a mile north of the government balloon school.

When the trap was set Tuesday afternoon the Pinkerton operatives concealed

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THANKSGIVING

and we call your attention to the following list of good things:

- Black figs in bulk.
- Mince meat, of excellent quality.
- Sun-Maid seeded raisins, large package.
- Sultana raisins in bulk.
- Citron, orange and lemon peel.
- Large White Plume Celery.
- Cape Cod cranberries.
- Sweet potatoes and Hubbard squash.
- Crisp head lettuce and cabbage.
- Your favorite brand of OLEOMARGARINE.
- Goodluck--Hygrade--Marigold.
- Swift's Premium, both white and colored.
- Wesson oil, Douglass oil.
- Olive oil and olives.
- All our brands of COFFEE have that smack of goodness.
- Tillamook cheese.
- R. and R. Plum Pudding.
- Bread, white and fluffy, good, so good.

It pays to trade at LEE'S

Many New Members Join Woman's Club

In spite of the rain on Monday afternoon there was an excellent attendance at the woman's club meeting, with enthusiasm over the thirty new members. The following women were unanimously elected members of the club: Mmes. R. W. Hadden, Frank Berman, Ben S. Millikan, Hattie Wine, C. W. Potter, J. M. Whitsel, E. Sedlacek, Floyd Sturgeon, W. Q. Custer, Stella Brown, Lulu A. Dietz, Myron Crawford, Henry Dam-erel, T. L. Hall, George Sohn, W. E. Clopine, B. P. Malsi, A. M. Pence, H. Temple, W. T. Sterling, W. D. Town- send, Henry Phillips, C. J. Hurst, J. K. Hedges, J. R. Stafford, Theodore Lipke, M. D. Philleo, E. B. Morey, and Miss Mattie Breakey.

The music was of a patriotic tone, receiving a cordial response. Miss Ruth Whitsel, accompanied by Miss Crete King, sang with sympathetic understanding, "The Americans Come," and "Uncle Sam Has His Arms Around the World." Miss Ada Ayers, accom- panied, fluteline tones, the "Sextette from Lucia" and "Baby's Prayer," while at the close of the program Miss Dorothea Cassel, with Miss Crete King accompanying, sang with fine spirit, "Sons of the Flag" and "His Buttons are Marked U. S."

In opening the meeting, Mrs. J. L. Matthews, president, in a little speech, recognized the world-wide importance of the great events of the past days and weeks since the club had met, and voiced the hope of all that lasting peace and universal democracy had come.

The speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. C. H. Ritchie of Pasadena, prominent for years in club and civic work, gave a ringing address upon the duty and opportunity of the club woman of today, when so large a share of the work of the coming reconstruction period de- pended upon the women of the country. Sensible, well-informed and most practical, Mrs. Ritchie pled for intelligent and enthusiastic interest on the part of all women in the affairs, first of all in their own home town, then of the coun- try and state, as well as the broader in- formation concerning the national and international problems of the day. Quoting the old adage that "a public office is usually a private snap" she urged a definite understanding of our own legislative matters in California this winter, especially those dealing with state commissions, moral and ju- venile questions.

In a discussion of the food problem, which she declared to be the greatest question facing the nation today, Mrs. Ritchie massed many interesting sta- tistics and declared that probably for three years this country would have to provide both food and seed for the world, and said that food conservation would have to be continued. The patriot in the kitchen was as real and loyal as the soldier in France, she said, and in passing, several valuable suggestions of most practical value were given.

The club members were glad to be brought into close touch with the dis- trict and state federation, through the speaker's rapid sketch of the general scope and plan of club work. The at- tendance upon reciprocity days and gen- eral councils was urged, with ample op- portunity for reporting impressions and knowledge gained.

A number of questions as to practical ways for outlined work, were asked by the interested club women, and the help and suggestions given by Mrs. Ritchie were appreciated.

During the social hour at the close of the program Mrs. J. R. Elliott, assisted by Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner and Mrs. E. G. Prather served tea and Hoover cookies.

The next regular meeting of the club will be Monday, December 19, when it is expected that Senator Lyman M. King, recently returned from France, will speak upon "The New Christmas Peace For the World." On the inter- vening Mondays the Club women will meet at the Red Cross rooms for work under the direction of the war service committee.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All taxes on personal property, and the last half of taxes on real property, are due and payable on the 17th of September. If not sooner paid they will become delinquent on the last Monday in November next thereafter, at the hour of 5 p. m., and thereupon ten per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the CHARTER OAK CITRUS ASSOCIATION:

In compliance with the order of the State Medical Department as now evoked, and to carry out the idea of "safety first," your board of directors have authorized the postponement of the annual meeting until the first Friday in December, namely December 6th, 1918.

Yours truly,
R. H. MIDDLETON,
Secretary.

By order of Board of Directors,
October 25, 1918.

Covina Lad in France Has Visions of Home

The following letter from the war front, received this week by a Covina mother, who desires her name to be withheld, is teeming with a pathos and longing for peace and happiness again:
Oct. 17, 1918.

Mother Dearest:

I have a little time this morning, so will let you know that I am all O. K. and feeling grand.

We had a dandy C. S. meeting last night, so I want to tell you about it. Can you picture a group of about a dozen boys gathered together in the corner of an old French barn? On a bench was our light, which consisted of a candle. The box also answered as a table for the readers, one a sergeant, the other a private, and the boys seated around on the floor. We got so much good from the lessons, and the boys take so much interest in them. Every class we have there are newcomers who are becoming more and more interested all the time. What a painting that would make! It goes to show that you can find good, no matter where you are. After meeting I went over to the Y. M. C. A. building, a little two-room house with a fireplace almost as large as one of the rooms, with a nice fire going and lots of good things to read. After read- ing awhile I sat in front of the fireplace and drew many beautiful pictures in the flames of those dear to me at home. I could see you and daddy in your room looking over the paper, and then you busy with your knitting for the boys over here. I loved every corner in that dear home of yours. It was so real that I spent a whole hour at home with you and Dad, around the yard and in the house. And oh, what a good time we will have when I get back. We are go- ing to sit and talk for one solid week, for I am sure it will take me that long to tell you about my trip and the many things I have seen.

We are having a great deal of rain and it is quite cool at all times, but we have three good warm blankets, a good big overcoat, slicker—and with our knit goods there is no chance to get cold even in the worst kind of weather.

I have just purchased a new watch and I like it very much; it is a Swiss movement and very neat size. There are many beautiful jewelry stores and one can get most anything if they have the required francs. The French money is very odd; one franc is equal to 17½ cents in our money, and everything goes by francs or sous. Each district has its own issue of money, and when we move we change it, and it is sure a nuisance.

Some of the boys that came over in June have joined us, and they sure have great tales to tell. I can realize I am very fortunate to be in the 144th, for the officers are on the job and look- ing out for our welfare all the time.

Well, mother dear, the poor censor has many letters to look after, so I must close for this time. I hope you have had many letters from me. Always know I am well and happy and doing my bit, and we all hope to be home soon. Worlds of love.

CORP. M. E. L.

Battery D, 144th field artillery, A. E. F., France.

CHRISTIAN DEMOCRACY FOR AMERICA

The difficulty, which the American government experienced during the war, in mobilizing its military and industrial resources, has brought acutely home to the American people the dangers, arising out of the fact that the foreign element in our population is so large and so unresponsive to our ideals, and so dangerous in the time of national peril. We are now awake, as never before, to the necessity of reaching these foreign elements by our moral and educational influences. The Methodist Episcopal church meets the issue by a definite effort to educate its own people in the ways and means of reaching the alien peoples by its evangelical and educa- tional agencies, and adapting its religious agencies more perfectly to the task. A text book has been prepared for the churches, dealing with these elements of our population and those con- ditions in the industrial, social and re- ligious world which makes our republic insecure, and pointing out the things that must be done to overcome evil. The book is entitled "Christian Demo- cracy For America," and Epworth Leagues and other church groups are ex- horted to make a special study of it this year. The Methodist church of Covina proposes to begin this study this coming Sunday evening, at 6:30, the hour be- fore the preaching service, and invites all who may be interested to join in the study. It proposes also during the Sundays of December to prosecute a campaign for the development of spir- itual resources of the church, and much important and interesting literature be- ing at the same time distributed among the people. It is hoped and expected that the local church will enter heart- ily into the campaign which has been planned for the whole denomination in this country.

F. B. COWGILL.

The Argus is the valley's most wide- ly circulated newspaper.

High School Items

School opened Monday with an at- tendance of seventy-five per cent. No students were admitted without their "passports," certificates signed by their parents that they were free from a cold.

The influenza has caused much dis- turbance in school activities. Football received, perhaps, the hardest blow. There will probably be no more league games played this year. Military train- ing will continue as usual in spite of both peace and influenza.

Both the faculty and the student- body have been increased by one dur- ing the five weeks of vacation. The new faculty member is Mrs. Mary Owen, who will instruct in commercial law and commercial arithmetic. The new student is Clarence McCumisky of Wyoming.

Although there has been no school for the past five weeks, the faculty has been on the move. Miss Crystal E. Gates and her mother have moved from the Crane apartments to their new home on the corner of Dexter and Third streets. Mr. and Mrs. Hart have moved into Miss Lemon's house on Puente street.

The moving picture machine is in- stalled and will soon be "tuned up" ready for action. The films shown will be educational, such as the Pathe Weekly, and others along that line, con- taining the latest scenes of interest.

Last week, during the united war work campaign, several of the high school boys and girls met at the high school and planned to aid the cam- paign as "Victory" boys and girls. A boy and a girl had charge of each pre- cinct, and in some of the country dis- tricts where there were more students to see, there were assistants to those in charge. After several days of hustling the workers turned in a total of \$324. Both the workers and givers deserve great credit for their enthusiasm.
WESLEY LEIGHTON, '19.

SON OF COVINA PARENTS CAPTAIN



CAPTAIN ERNEST S. ROSS

Perhaps no one has tried harder to enter the service of his country than Mr. Ernest S. Ross, a Los Angeles at- torney, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ross of this city, and a brother of Mrs. Ran- dall Chew. Recently he has been com- missioned a captain in the engineer corps, and is now stationed at Fort Douglas, Utah, attached to the 403rd engineers.

For twenty years he followed his pro- fession as a construction engineer. In 1916 he graduated from the college of law, University of Southern California, after which he opened offices in the Homer Laughlin building, Los Angeles.

Upon the opening of the war he grad- uated in the school of navigation, qual- ifying as a deck officer. Later he filed his application for Y.M.C.A. work overseas, and also for a commission in the U. S. engineers. He received the same week an offer in the merchant marine, an acceptance of his services in the Y. M. C. A., and a captain's com- mission in the engineers' corps, the latter of which he accepted.

During his absence with Uncle Sam's forces his wife is serving as a Red Cross nurse in Los Angeles. The only note of discord in the family comes from the captain's seventeen-year-old daughter, Eunice, who regrets that she is not a boy so she could join the army also.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness in the recent loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Irene Jin- nett. Mrs. M. Havlin and family.

Electrical Appliances For Christmas Gifts

The Government urges that Christmas giving this year be confined to useful gifts.

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WAR TIME CHRISTMAS

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No. 40249.
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS AN- GELES.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

In the Matter of the Estate of KOHEI KASAI, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the pe- tition of Clara M. Ayers for the Pro- bate of Will of Kohei Kasai, deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testa- mentary thereon to Clara M. Ayers will be heard at 10 o'clock a.m., on the 22nd day of November, 1918, at the court room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated Oct. 25th, 1918.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk,
By H. C. Lichtenberger, Deputy.
Gail, Pence & Gail, Attorneys for Petitioner.

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News of the Valley

IRWINDALE.

The meeting of the Irwindale Miscellany Club was held at the home of Mrs. L. M. Swallow on West Puente street on Tuesday afternoon, when twenty members were present to help with the sewing for the French relief and the Maternity hospital. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elmer O. Thomason on Cypress avenue, and will be an all-day sewing meeting. The members are requested not to bring their lunch, for the ladies of section two will serve lunch. There will be an interesting program in the afternoon.

Mrs. Maybelle Smith spent last weekend at Camp Kearny with her husband, Lee Roy Smith, who is a clerk in the office of the division adjutant.

Miss Ada Ayers, daughter of Mrs. Clara Ayers, was on the program of the Monday Afternoon Club this week for one of her delightful whistling solos.

Mr. and Mrs. William Drendel of Azusa are recovering from the influenza, which attacked them both last week.

The Lark Ellen and Merwin schools opened on Monday with a smaller attendance than usual, but with conditions very favorable. In the Merwin school district there was found to be only one family in which there was sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Zug of Cypress avenue had as their guests on Sunday the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendleton of Los Angeles, and the Misses Myrtle and Helen Speer of Irwindale.

Mrs. Celia Gilmore of Los Angeles spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall of San Bernardino road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robhan and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brooks in Baldwin Park.

Mrs. D. Reichard of San Bernardino road spent Thursday in Altadena as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. William Ferguson.

Mr. H. A. Crawford and William Clark of Covina are members of a party which is making a motor camping trip beyond Victorville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fred Wiley of Irwindale have as their house guest the latter's sister, Mrs. Jessie Riner of Galva, Illinois, who will spend the winter in Southern California.

Mrs. Baird of Speerville, Kansas, is visiting her son, Claude Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reichard spent Saturday and Sunday at the Canajo ranch in Ventura county, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cooper have as their guests this week the former's two nieces, Miss D'Elida Cooper, graduate nurse, and Miss Marie Cooper, nurse in training, from Los Angeles, who are recuperating from an attack of the influenza.

Miss Maude Woodworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Woodworth, who is a student at Berkeley, has been ill with the influenza but is now recovering.

J. G. Rehban, E. E. Moses and Herbert Glover made a hunting trip to Homet last week.

CHARTER OAK

The Charter Oak Thimble Club was entertained at the all-day meeting Tuesday of this week by Mrs. W. I. Pinckney at her home on Cienega boulevard. Fourteen members were able to be present and they completed twenty-five garments. Mrs. E. E. Kirtlan and Miss Knight of Orange were the guests of the club.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Burnham on the first Tuesday of next month, at which time the new work committee, consisting of Mrs. F. H. Seoon, chairman, Mrs. Olin Rose and Mrs. O. T. Denny will have charge.

The committee which recently conducted a millinery store in San Dimas reported an addition to the treasury of \$54.80 as the result of their work, a large part of their satisfaction in the result being the feeling that they had really filled a want among their customers.

Mrs. Walter Boston of Sunflower avenue is entertaining her sister, Miss Knight of Orange, this week.

Miss Dorothy Dye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dye, was at home from Claremont college over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wohlgenuth of Glendora avenue, Paul Wohlgenuth and Mrs. Berner visited Mr. M. H. Frisbie in Glendale on Sunday. Mr. Frisbie is the uncle of Mrs. Wohlgenuth.

Mrs. Fred Monia of Gladstone avenue went to Long Beach Saturday and has been the guest there of her daughter, Mrs. Noah Jones, for several days.

Mrs. William K. Meyer left this week for Taft, California, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Colin Traweck and family until after Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Barbanell, wife of Dr. Barbanell of Los Angeles, is spending several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hurwitz of Cienega avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Harding of Gladstone avenue, Mr. and Mrs. James Stringfellow and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Deputay enjoyed a motor trip through the Santa Ana canyon on Sunday, returning through Santa Ana and Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Layman had as their guests on Sunday the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Carpenter of Los Angeles, and a cousin, Mr. H. O. Woodward, and wife and little son, who are at present making their home in Long Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward have only recently arrived in California, having made the entire trip from their home in Michigan by automobile.

WEST COVINA.

Wedding Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Seaman of Puente boulevard have announced the marriage engagement of their daughter, Margaret Melodile Seaman, to Mr. Edgar Durston Williams, a young business man of Los Angeles. The wedding will take place on Thanksgiving day at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Seaman, who has been a teacher in the Pasadena schools for two years, has been the recipient of a number of social attentions from her friends. Mrs. Frank Evans, sister of Mr. Williams, entertained in her honor with a miscellaneous shower last Friday afternoon at her home at 5713 Chesley avenue, Los Angeles. Besides the guest of honor there were about a dozen of her friends from Pasadena and Los Angeles.

Mrs. R. C. Speer, assisted by her daughter, Miss Anita Speer, entertained on Tuesday for Miss Seaman with a miscellaneous shower. The guests included besides Miss Seaman and her mother, Mrs. Floyd Pratt, Mrs. Thomas Robbins, Mrs. Ernest Handel, Mrs. F. C. Gloege, Mrs. James Hodges, Mrs. W. D. Townsend, and Mrs. W. F. Herring.

The first meeting of the parent-teachers' association to be held after the recess due to the ban on public meetings will probably be held on the first Thursday in December.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor and family, of Orange avenue spent last Sunday in Glendale as the guests of the Rev. Eugene Haines and family.

Miss Ethel Foster of Hollywood has been the house guest for several days this week of Mrs. W. G. McCadden at their home on Orange avenue.

Mrs. L. Reeg entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran church of Covina at her home on Arroya Drive Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gray of Sunset avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Smith Budd of Covina left on Thursday on a hunting and camping trip near Perris. They expect to return Saturday.

The teachers of the West Covina school, the Misses Farrell, Hoover and Dutton, were entertained at dinner on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maxson. In the afternoon the party enjoyed a motor trip to Claremont college, where they visited Miss Frances Maxson, who is a student there.

Mrs. Charles Hurst and little daughter were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stevens on Merced avenue Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Watts and family were the guests of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilbur, in Compton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor entertained the deacons of the Baptist church at a combined business and social meeting Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tasehner and family spent Sunday in Los Angeles with their daughter, Mrs. Jaroch.

Mrs. J. C. Van Wigg and daughter, Alma, who have been on the sick list, are able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grossman and Mrs. Esther Castle, all of Santa Monica, were visitors at the Peter Pfeiffer home last Sunday.

Mark Hutchcroft and family were the guests of P. N. Roberts and family in El Monte on Wednesday.

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS.

General Foch, who is the supreme hero of the world's greatest war, recently wrote: "The bible is certainly the best preparation that you can give to an American soldier to sustain his magnificent ideal and his faith." What is good for the soldier is good for every one. Our study this week is a review of the Gospels. Answers to each of the following questions have been touched upon in previous studies. The class will resume its regular meetings next Wednesday evening at seven o'clock, in the Baptist church. All are invited to attend and join in the discussions.

Friday: How many Gospels are found in the New Testament? What reason can you give for believing that

there were originally others, which have been lost? Why is it desirable to have four instead of one? Which one do you read most?

Saturday: How many Gospels were written by apostles? From what several vocations did the four authors come? How many were Jews? What proof is there for your answer?

Sunday: Which Gospel was intended particularly for Jewish readers? Which for Roman? Which for Greek? Give from the books themselves a reason for each answer? Which book is the most general and comprehensive? Which one reaches back the farthest into the past?

Monday: What Gospel quotes most liberally from the Old Testament? Which one emphasizes most the miracles of Jesus? Which one the human sympathy of Jesus? Which is the most spiritual Gospel? What do you mean by spiritual?

Tuesday: Mention one thing in Matthew that is given in no other. Do the same with Mark, Luke and John. Which has the largest amount of exclusive material?

Wednesday: What does Matthew attempt to prove by his book? What does Mark? Why does Luke write? What was John's purpose?

Thursday: The last chapter of each Gospel deals with what great event? Do they close looking to the past or to the future? Where does each one leave Jesus? What promises do you find at the close of Matthew? What verification of that promise at the close of Mark? Where in John do we find a fuller statement of the same promise?



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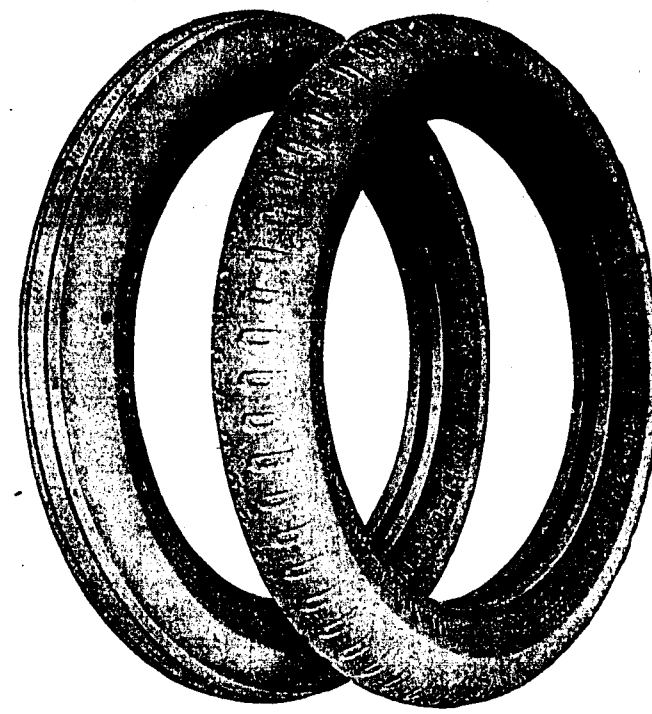
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EDITORIAL

Favored Covina.

In the year 1621 our Pilgrim fathers at Plymouth set apart a day for thanksgiving immediately after their first harvest.

Since that time, one after another, all states in the Union have proclaimed the festival on various dates until in 1864, when Abraham Lincoln appointed the fourth Thursday in November a day of national thanksgiving, and since that time each president has annually followed his example.

In accordance with this time-honored custom, our president has proclaimed the fourth Thursday, the 28th of November, to be a day of national thanksgiving—and such a day of thanks to Almighty God as the world has never before known: thanks for liberty of conscience and freedom from the thrall of autocracy; thanks to God that the atrocities of war have not been permitted to devastate our land; thanks for the prosperity which has enabled us out of our abundance to succor the distressed in distant lands; thanks that the spirit of democracy will engender thanksgiving in the hearts of the down-trodden victims of autocracy throughout the entire world.

Thursday, November 28th, 1918, will be a memorable thanksgiving day. What a glorious prospect if this day could be set apart by all humanity for all time! What peace and good will would result when the combined prayers of all His children ascend to the throne of our Heavenly Father!

Although the blessings of prosperity must of necessity vary throughout the different states of the Union, yet in the aggregate they will all be benefited—for none in the extreme, but all to a degree, will enter into the enjoyment of the most prosperous year the United States has ever known.

Covina citrus growers have special cause to be thankful—for in addition to the bountiful harvest just marketed, we are justified in looking forward to the coming year as likely to be the most prosperous in the history of the industry. Due to annual fumigation, intelligent and liberal fertilizing, and possibly to more favorable climatic condi-

tions in this section during the month of June than that prevailing in most of the other citrus districts, Southern and Middle California promise a navel production of fully 80 per cent of the heaviest crop ever carried on our trees.

This condition does not prevail to the same extent in other districts, for in the Porterville and Lindsay sections, 10 per cent would be a liberal estimate; Ontario has 50 per cent; Pomona, 65; Redlands, 35; East Highlands, 70; West Highlands, 25; Highlands, 20; and Riverside 30 per cent.

From a careful perusal of these statistics, a material drop in the total yield for the state may be figured—a condition which will correspondingly tend to maintain throughout the season reasonably high prices, which will put hundreds of thousands of dollars into the pockets of Covina growers. In addition to the bright prospects of the navel crop, Valencia groves in the Covina district promise more than a normal yield, with a high grade of fruit.

This pen picture of crop yield, which may be fully verified on inspection of groves and reports, means that not only will our ranchers be prosperous, but that every mercantile and other line of business throughout the valley, will share pro-rata in the general prosperity.

The citrus industry is the prop and mainstay of this community, and upon the loyalty of our ranchers to its business interests, depends the prosperity of Covina. With each succeeding week we have increasing evidence of this loyalty to the support and patronage of home industries from the reports of our business men, who assure us that the business now being done is far in excess of previous years and steadily growing. This gratifying state of affairs is directly attributable to the confidence of the ranching community in the integrity and square dealing of our business men. May it continue to increase for the good of all and may the Spirit of Thanksgiving manifest itself not only by a thankfulness for personal well being, but also by the expression of our joy and satisfaction in the material prosperity of all men.

Fund Oversubscribed On Honor Days

The full quota, \$4250, for the united war fund drive, was oversubscribed in Covina on "honor" days.

The total subscription amounted to \$5390.05, of which amount \$591.75 was the result of the work of the "Victory" boys and girls. Total number of subscribers 850, of which 215 were secured by the "Victory" boys and girls of the high and grammar schools. Of the total amount subscribed, \$4776.05 was in cash and \$614 deferred subscriptions.

DEATH OF B. M. POTTER AT NORWALK HOSPITAL

The funeral of Mr. Benj. M. Potter, whose death occurred this week at Norwalk hospital, was held Wednesday morning at the funeral parlors of W. Q. Custer. The services were conducted by the Rev. A. Watson Brown, pastor of the Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member.

Mr. Potter, who was 76 years of age, had been a resident of East College street for the past twelve years. He leaves a widow to mourn his loss.

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Y. M. C. A. WORKER IN NEW YORK

Miss Eva Edwards, former principal of the Covina grammar schools, waiting for service overseas, describes opening for war work campaign at Madison Square Gardens as follows:
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Sunday night is not a real hilarious point in the week for a wanderer and I thought this evening, as I looked down toward the Goddess of Liberty, holding her torch out to sea, "Old girl, when this war is over you'll have to look a few thousand miles back over your shoulder to see me!"

But today has really been a most wonderful event. The opening of the war work campaign occurred at Madison Square Garden. Ten thousand is the smallest estimate I have heard on the audience. Each of the seven organizations combining for this fund was represented by masses of its own workers. Part of us, of the Y. M. C. A., had our uniforms, but most of us not. We who are still awaiting our passports may not have our uniforms until they come. I think I have never seen anything more significant of the trend of the times, both politically and religiously, than the greetings of these men to each other, to say nothing of their wonderful addresses—and I believe they were sincere.

Notice how they came on the program. Could anything be more breathtaking than Cardinal Gibbons saluting Rabbi Wise, unless it might be the felicitations of the Honorables Cochran, Hughes and Baker! For New York is not nearly so democratic as Southern California (so much the worse for New York!) and is thereby getting some jolt! Verily, this reconstruction—this leveling of caste and erasing of lines, is going to be some revolution!

The city is full of soldiers and sailors of every rank and nation—and I haven't seen a drunken man in uniform yet, from one ocean to the other—and I've seen a lot of uniforms, believe me!

We Y.M.C.A. workers, after finishing our conference, wait for notice of our passports and then strike out for the first boat over. These passports come slowly, one at a time, and as you may imagine, the excitement of the daily list gets more tense every day. Sincerely hope my name may be "written there" very soon. They are taking good care of us while we wait. There are about a hundred of us now. We spend part of our time working in canteens, are trying to get as much French as possible, and between times we do our overseas shopping. Have incidentally seen a bit of New York, heard the Damrosche orchestra and spent some time on the tops of Fifth avenue busses (and as little as possible on the subway.)

Everyone feels that peace is very near, but of course the work of the Y. M. C. A. will be far more needed than ever after the fighting is over and the boys are impatient to come home. "Just waiting" is the most trying experience a human can have, I really believe. I trust that my service in that line is nearly over, but no one knows. I may be here for weeks yet.

We are quartered in one of the most elegant old mansions on a famous street—donated for the time being for our use. Across the street is the Pierpont Morgan place—a dreary old brick monument from the outside, with a few secret service guards constantly sleuthing around the premises, watching the iron fence—guarded walls. The most pathetic thing we see in New York is a sorry looking little orange tree, growing in an imposing looking urn in front of the famous Morgan library—now hermetically sealed. Poor little stray! I wonder if it too loves the warmer sunshine!

When I get over I'll try to tell you something of our work. Just now it is only just sit tight and try to bear the waiting like a good soldier. I think of you all very much. What is it about dear old scrappy Covina that makes her children love her so? For every day I plan for things we'll do "when the war is over."

Most sincerely,
EVA D. EDWARDS.

LOCAL SCHOOL PRINCIPAL PRESIDENT ATHLETIC LEAGUE

B. S. Millikan, supervising principal of the Covina schools, was elected president of the Southern California Inter-scholastic League at the meeting held in Los Angeles Tuesday evening. W. C. Wilson of the Pasadena high school was made secretary, and Mr. Benson of the Los Angeles high school, treasurer. This league directs the athletic activities of the high schools of Southern California. The suggestion was made at this meeting that the football schedule, which has been interfered with by the enforced closing of the schools, be advanced, and played through, ending in February.

The local schools reopened on Monday with an attendance of about 80 per cent of the normal. Each pupil was required to bring a signed statement from home that he was not suffering from a cold of any description, and in families where there had been a case of influ-

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Mrs. Mary Langley Evans has been secured as assistant teacher in the commercial department. Mrs. Owens is a graduate of Stanford university, her home is in Mountain View, California, and she has had considerable experience as a teacher and will be valuable to the faculty.

The evening school opened on Monday evening with an enrollment of about twenty-five, which will undoubtedly be doubled before long. The commercial classes will meet on Monday and Wednesday evenings, and the classes in French and Spanish on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. It is probable that the cooking classes which were scheduled for Monday and Wednesday evenings will be changed to Tuesday and Thursday.

MUSICIAN MOVES STUDIO.

Mrs. S. J. Bowler, pianiste, has moved her studio from W. Badillo street to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gillett, on W. College street. On account of largely increased classes in Los Angeles Mrs. Bowler will only receive pupils on Tuesday.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Christmas cards. Covina Book Store.

Miss Ruth Bailey, who attends school in Los Angeles, was at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. R. Coolman, last week with a light attack of influenza. She has returned to Los Angeles again.

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Miss Amelia McVey and her niece, Miss Beatrice Edgerton of Los Angeles, were dinner guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Coons and daughter.

Magazine subscriptions for Christmas gifts should be sent now. Covina Book Store.

Marjorie and Courtland Clark, children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark, are recovering nicely from their recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berman and daughter, Miss Gae, were guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Cole in Venice.

Mrs. E. P. Hull has been visiting her daughters, Miss Edith Hull and Mrs. May Kirk, in Los Angeles this week.

Mrs. A. R. Van Booven, who very recently was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dancer of Service street, is just recovering from a very severe attack of influenza in Winslow, Arizona.

Miss Florence Irish of Hollywood was a guest over Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Fingerle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Johnson and daughter, Thelma, of Santa Ana, were guests Sunday and Monday of the former's sister, Mrs. Will Fisher, and family.

Mrs. Hazel McCreary is slowly recovering from pneumonia, from which she has been suffering for the past five weeks. She expects to resume her duties with the Union Oil Company soon.

Mrs. G. E. Smith was a guest of Los Angeles friends from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Alice Hayman of Long Beach was a guest on Sunday of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Franklin.

Walter Larick, Lee Saul and W. O. Kennedy left last Friday on a week's trip to Fresno and other northern points.

Guy and Harley Garrison, Frank Bisbee and R. M. Bowman left Saturday, returning Sunday, on a quail hunt to Perris valley. They report very few quail.

Miss Bertha Yeend announces the reopening of her dancing classes on Saturday, November 23rd, at the Woman's club-house. The classes will be held at the same hours as they were before they were closed. There will be a social dance following the last class at nine o'clock.

Miss Carol Coman is at home for a brief stay, after completing her course in the Pasadena nurses' training school, and three weeks' voluntary service in the county hospital during the height of the influenza epidemic.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. ones of San Dimas were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitsel on Monday. Mr. Jones is cashier of the San Dimas bany.

Mrs. H. M. Faulder, librarian of the Covina library, spent last week in San Diego with Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Platt and children.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Millikan and little daughter were the guests at dinner on Sunday of Mr. Andrew Stang at his home in Long Beach. Mr. Stang is an uncle of Mrs. Millikan.

Corona typewriter agency. Covina Book Store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn and children, Lucile and John, spent Tuesday in Los Angeles.

Mrs. S. Allen and daughter of Los Angeles are guests at the home of the former's sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Souther, of East College street. They will remain over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. O. W. Vincent and daughter, Miss Captola, who have been staying at San Antonio Heights for the benefit of Miss Captola's health, were at their home on West Puente street this week for a visit with the family. Miss Captola's health is so much improved that it is anticipated that she will be able to return to her home permanently soon.

Miss A. Walsh is in Exeter, where she will be for a month or two, taking charge of one of the packing houses.

Dr. Fred Fabrick, wife and daughter of Los Angeles visited the parents of the former, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fabrick, Sunday afternoon. Dr. Fabrick is now connected with the receiving hospital at the Eastside jail, where he is on duty evenings, but still attends to his private practice.

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Miss Josephine Marshall of Hollywood has been a guest several days this week of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Fingerle.

Mr. and Mrs. Followell of San Dimas have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. U. G. Kring, this week.

Gerard Stange, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stange of Azusa avenue, has been ill in the hospital at Mare Island for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Smith of Vincent street spent Saturday and Sunday in Long Beach with old friends.

George Kellar has gone to Coachella this week and expects to be gone ten days looking after his ranch there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jordan, who have been making an extended visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Snodgrass of San Bernardino road, have moved to Los Angeles, where they will make their home.

Miss Hilda R. Humphries, the district school nurse, has been ill at her home in Los Angeles this week with an attack of the influenza, which she contracted during her ministrations to the sick. Her work has been continued during the week by Mrs. Sears.

Miss Lucile Quinn entertained Miss Clara Brooks and Miss Dorothea Hess last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Warner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Rhul of Pomona at dinner last Sunday.

Mrs. E. V. Rice of San Bernardino road will have as her guest for a few days the first of next week Mrs. Lawrence Van der Leek of Taft.

Mrs. J. C. Sanders and her daughter, Miss Augusta Sanders of Azusa avenue, entertained on Wednesday Miss Stone of Boston and Sergeant Curry of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter entertained at dinner Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. Reichard, Mr. and Mrs. William Crook, and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Prather.

Miss Belle Fesler, who has been at home a week recuperating from an attack of the influenza, will return to her work at the Los Angeles hospital the last of the week.

Those who have made monthly pledges to the Red Cross may pay them to Mrs. E. G. Prather or at the Red Cross room. The money is still needed, for the work will have to continue for some months, at least, longer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchison have moved this week to Ethanae, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Knudtson spent Saturday and Sunday at Long Beach with relatives.

Mr. Lester Sykes of New York was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thorpe and Madame Ellen Beach Yaw over a day and a night this week.

Mrs. J. M. Stanton of Cottage Drive, who has been seriously ill at her home, is slowly recovering.

J. L. Kendall, G. W. Whitlock, Floyd Sturgeon and John Koch motored to Banning last Sunday, where they visited Ed Kendall and enjoyed the quail hunting.

School Books And Supplies



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Miss Louise Mills of Los Angeles has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Viney of East Badillo street for a few days this week. Miss Mills will return to Oakland, where she is teaching in the schools, on Saturday, as the schools will reopen there on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilke spent Saturday and Sunday in Santa Ana with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips entertained at dinner last Sunday Mrs. Triplet of Ben Lomond and Mrs. Henry Phillips and daughter, Betty.

Miss Marion Warren, who is attending the library school in Los Angeles, spent last Sunday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Warren.

Dr. Olinda K. Stevens and Mrs. Geo. Edwards of Pomona were in Covina on Wednesday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brooks of Puente street had as their guest Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Rebhan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Griffin of Los Angeles were guests of the Quinn ranch last Sunday.

Misses Christabel and Ethel Parker of Los Angeles spent the week-end with their parents on Arroyo Drive.

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Entertained Here—

Miss Carol Coman entertained the Alpha Gamma Delta chapter of the state university last Saturday afternoon, the members coming from the various cities of Southern California. The little affair was in the nature of a stork party for baby Eva Reed, the tiny daughter of Mrs. Tom Reed. As Mrs. Reed was not able to leave her home, the twelve friends took their dainty gifts in person to the little lessee, who seemed to thoroughly enjoy her first social event. After the return to the Coman home, knitting and sewing on the broad porch occupied the afternoon. Refreshments were served in the late afternoon, and just at dusk the guests left with happy impressions of Covina and its hospitality.

Daughter's Birthday Celebrated and Son in France Remembered—

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dolcater of Claremont were the guests at dinner of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coman, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Dolcater. Since the birthday of Sergeant Ellis Coman, the son of the house in France, comes just a week earlier, he was not forgotten, and it was hoped that the Dundee fruit cake which was ordered sent from London in ample time for his birthday, resulted in an impromptu feast a week ago.

Postal Card Announces

Safe Arrival in France—

Mrs. Clarence Fabrick received a postal card this week announcing the safe arrival in Europe of her husband, Clarence Fabrick, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fabrick. Young Fabrick was in a train wreck while enroute to the Atlantic seaboard, a number of soldiers being injured.

PORTRAITS

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Michigan Senator Visits Walker Home—

Senator and Mrs. Holmes of St. Clair, Michigan, arrived in Covina last week for a visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Walker, wife of Mr. R. S. Walker of Puente street. With them was a friend, Miss Marie Landerson of Pontiac, Michigan. Senator Holmes had intended to make a visit for some weeks here but was recalled to Michigan very unexpectedly this week. Mrs. Holmes and Miss Landerson will remain for a month or more. Mr. and Mrs. Walker and their guests spent the week-end at Catalina, where they had the luck to get the biggest fish caught the day they were out. They will spend the coming week-end at the Mission Inn at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Paige of Orange street, with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nash of Cottage Drive as their guests, made an automobile trip Wednesday to Riverside and visited March Field, where the activities of the aviation training school was of great interest, the wonderful clearness and beauty of the day adding to the pleasure. Luncheon at the Mission Inn was enjoyed and the ascent to the summit of Mt. Rubidoux made in the afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Seely is convalescent after a brief illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harnish of Center street had as their guest on Thursday the latter's brother, J. E. Warfield, and daughter Cora, Mrs. William Warfield, Mrs. W. C. Finley and little daughter, all of Los Angeles.

SOIL ANALYSIS ONE WAY TO REDUCE FERTILIZER BILLS

The value of soil analysis is set forth in an announcement of this issue of the Argus by R. R. Snowden, agricultural chemist of Los Angeles. Mr. Snowden claims that by knowing exactly what your soil requires, and not applying unnecessary elements of fertilizer, the cost of fertilization can be reduced.

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Local News

Delayed Public Reception To Methodist Pastor—

At the Covina Methodist church on Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, there will be a social rally of the Methodist people and their friends, which will take the form of a reception to the returned pastor, Dr. Frank B. Cowgill, and the new superintendent of the Pasadena district, Dr. W. L. L. Davis. Dr. Davis will deliver the principal address, and the social evening will conclude with a brief but important business meeting, over which Dr. Davis will preside. The entire membership and constituency of the church are cordially invited to be present.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fesler Recovering—

Miss Alice Fesler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fesler, who has been ill with pneumonia at Berkeley, is reported as improving. Miss Fesler, a student at the state university, was taken ill with influenza about ten days ago. The trouble later developed into pneumonia, and on Sunday Mr. Fesler received a telegram advising him of the condition of the girl, upon receipt of which he left immediately for the north.

High School Romance Announced—

The marriage engagement of Miss Peryl Speer, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Speer of the Puente boulevard, to Mr. Lloyd Harnish, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harnish, was made known to their friends last Saturday afternoon, when Mrs. Speer, assisted by her daughter, Miss Anita, entertained a few of the intimate friends of the bride-to-be, at her home.

The color scheme of the decorations was the patriotic colors of red, white and blue, and the decorations of the table were little cupids and hearts. The place-cards were little cupids bearing the telltale gold ring, while the names of the two to whom congratulations were due were concealed in the little basket favors. The afternoon was spent with music and fancy work. The invited guests were the Misses Melodie and Dorothea Seaman, Lucile and Genevieve Matthews, Hazel Potter, Violet Tucker, Ethel Handel, Fleeta and Eva Bisbee, and Winnifred Adams.

The wedding of Miss Speer to Mr. Harnish is planned to take place about Christmas time.

Hunting and Fishing Good At Big Bear—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffman and daughter, Miss Leota, returned Tuesday from a hunting and fishing trip to Big Bear lake. While there they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. T. Costenbader, who have not yet returned. The party witnessed a mountain storm of rain, sleet and snow. The weather did not affect the hunting and fishing, and they returned with fish and ducks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beardsley and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Castello of Glendora were Sunday guests of old Oberlin friends in La Verne.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES IN COVINA.

Every heart is filled with thanks at this time, and in accordance with custom and in response to the proclamation of the president of the United States, the people of Covina will gather for a public service of worship and thanksgiving next Thursday.

As has been the custom here for several years, the service will be a union one and will be held this year in the Presbyterian church at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. The Reverend A. Watson Brown of the Baptist church will preach the sermon, and special music will be provided.

Canadians Will Locate Here—

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Patrick arrived on Wednesday of last week from Millett, Alberta, Canada. Mr. Patrick is a brother of Mrs. C. E. Blackman of East Center street, and he, with his wife, have rented a temporary home on Center street. The Patricks plan to make their home in Southern California and will invest in property after looking over the prospects throughout the country.

Lundes Return From Summer Camp—

S. S. Aschenbrenner, G. W. Aschenbrenner, J. P. Overholtzer and Harvey Overholtzer of Los Angeles made a party that went to Big Bear lake last Thursday on a hunting and fishing trip. The Aschenbrenner brothers returned home Sunday, the Overholtzer brothers remaining over until Tuesday to bring Mr. and Mrs. A. Lunde, who have closed their camp for the winter and will remain in Covina until the reopening of the season in April.

Will Spend Winter In Seattle—

Miss Zolla Dancer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dancer of Service street, left this week to visit friends in Porterville. From there she will go to Seattle, Washington, where she will spend the winter with friends and relatives.

Baptist Board of Deacons Elects Officers—

The board of deacons of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor on Orange avenue. Election of officers of the board resulted as Mr. Taylor being chairman and Mr. W. L. Smith secretary. The wives were also present and a social hour followed the business meeting.

Make Automobile Trip to Camp Baldy—

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Fingerle and their guests, Mrs. A. B. Christopher of Los Angeles and Miss Florence Irish of Hollywood, made a trip to Camp Baldy on Sunday.

Earl Coolman was home on a short furlough from the naval base at San Pedro.

George Henry has suffered a rather serious relapse from his recent operation.

Red Cross

Because so many American soldiers were fighting in the trenches up to the last minute and did not receive their Christmas labels in time to reach home, the date of sending packages is now the 30th of November instead of the 20th as originally stated. By the last of this month, then, every soldier's package which is to go overseas must be started on its way.

Because of the wonderful work accomplished by Red Cross nurses in the epidemic throughout the country, these nurses' aides will now be eligible in the United States military establishments in France. Women between the ages of thirty-five and forty-five, who have completed the course in hygiene and home care of the sick are eligible, with a salary allowance of thirty dollars a month plus maintenance, laundering of uniforms, and traveling expenses. Although twelve days has elapsed since the armistice was signed, there has come no order from headquarters rescinding this bulletin. Therefore it is believed that the need for nurses' aides still exists.

The sewing and surgical department will not be open on Fridays any longer. The surgical quota has been finished, and those who have been working in these departments are asked to give the time and effort to the sewing for the French relief.

Mrs. Webber, head of the knitting department, has made the request that anyone having wool taken out previous to Sept. 1st, or any unused bits of yarn on hand, please report to her.

The Pacific division of the American Red Cross, of which the Covina branch is a part, has the highest average of membership—300.77 members to 1000 population—of any division and holds first rank among the fourteen divisions in the U. S. as regards membership and promptness in paying for supplies. In August a total of \$175,959 was made in charter payments out of \$182,320 owing the Pacific division. Now Covina, belonging to this division, has not only paid for all supplies and expenses, but has a fair margin to her credit. Thus it may clearly be seen that Covina has well earned her reputation of being well toward the top in Red Cross work. It now remains for her during the stress of reconstruction to sustain this splendid record. We hope to bring our membership up to 100 per cent at the Christmas roll call.

CARTER SENT TO COLUMBIA COLLEGE FOR TRAINING

Fred W. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Carter of Puente street, who has been at the cantonment at Vancouver, Washington, in government special work, and who has been studying in the photographic division work of the signal corps, recently passed his examination there and last Wednesday was sent to Columbia college, New York City, to complete his training. There is a probability that Mr. Carter at the completion of his training will be sent overseas.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the sixth day of November, 1918, an assessment (No. 82) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1906) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 9th day of December, 1918, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 30th day of December, 1918, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
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FOR SALE—Pumpkins. Mrs. E. E. Hartley, phone Covina 997. 11-22p

FOR SALE—Pullman touring car, \$150. Phone 944. 1t

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WANTED—Immediately, an experienced man to serve as manager and foreman of the Highland Orange Association. Small pack present season. Address with references, J. W. Melchoir, see 'y, Redlands, Calif. 1t

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Fund Telegraphed Miss Edwards For Christmas Charity Work—

Friends of Miss Eva D. Edwards, who is to be Covina's representative in the Y. M. C. A. work among the boys in France, quietly raised a small fund of about a hundred dollars yesterday, which was telegraphed to her last evening. This fund was placed at her disposal to be used as a Christmas fund for the boys in khaki or for homeless French children, as she finds the need.

The explanation of the puzzling delay in the passports for Miss Edwards was at last discovered in the fact that the name of Mr. Sprunger, late Y. M. C. A. secretary, was used as a reference. The board wrote to Mr. Sprunger after his death and receiving no reply, the papers were held up until at last the cause of the delay was discovered and another name substituted.

Family of Major Thurber Arrives From New York—

Mrs. Thurber, wife of Major Thurber, his mother and little son arrived in Covina last week from White Plains, New York, and will spend some time here, occupying the cottage of Mrs. Ennis on Second street. Their many friends will be glad to welcome them back.

Church News

Methodist Church: Rev. Frank B. Cowgill, D. D., pastor. College street near Citrus. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m.; E. M. Bosworth, superintendent. Public worship, 11 a.m. Epworth League at 6:30 p.m. Public worship at 7:30 p.m. Midweek prayer Wednesday evening at 7:45.

The pastor will preach in the morning on "The Mission and Power of the Church." His theme in the evening will be "A Good Friend and Another Chance." At the League meeting Mrs. E. P. Warner will conduct a study in "Christian Democracy For America." Others are invited to join in this study.

First Baptist Church. A. Watson Brown, minister. Second street near College. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; H. L. Healy, superintendent. Morning service at 11, including children's service. Crusaders at 11:30. Leadership classes at 6:30 p. m., comprising groups in Pedagogy, Church History and Young People's Methods. B. Y. P. U. at 7. Evening service 7:30. Wednesday evening service: Bible study at 7; Prayer Meeting at 7:45.

"God and Daily Bread" will be the subject of the morning sermon. The children's talk will be on "Candles." Evening subject, "The Value of Godliness."

Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church: Rev. H. O. Michel, pastor. Church Third and Dexter streets. Sunday-school 9:15 a.m.; morning service 10:30.

Subject for sermon, "Faith Alone Can Save." Next Thursday being Thanksgiving, there will be a special service. Subject for sermon, "Our Reasons For Giving Thanks." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Presbyterian Church: Rev. Chauncey A. Foreman, pastor. Italia and Second streets. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Chas. A. Hale, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Junior C. E., 4 p.m.; C. E. Society, 6:45; evening service, 7:45; midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

Morning sermon subject, "Life's Postponements"; evening, "The Art of Rejoicing." The C. E. meeting will be a Thanksgiving service.

Christian Church: J. W. Utter, pastor. Park street and San Bernardino road. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Tom Johnson, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; C. E., 6:30 p.m.; evening sermon, 7:30; midweek services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday-school at 9:45; Tom Johnson, superintendent. Orchestra led by Grant Chapman.

Church of the Holy Trinity—First and third Sundays of the month, holy communion; second and fourth Sundays, morning prayer and sermon. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. Church edifice Center and Third street. Sunday-school 9:45. Morning service 11 a.m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8. Reading room, 132 West Badillo street, open from 2 to 4:30.

Sunday morning subject, "Soul and Body."

Church of the Brethren: George F. Chamberlen, elder in charge. Third and Puente streets. Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45; evening sermon, 7:30 p.m.; mid-week services on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Catholic): Father M. H. Geary, pastor. Church at Fifth and Center streets. Mass at 8 a.m.

George Wharton James, the author and lecturer, whose home is in Pasadena, has consented to give an illustrated stereopticon lecture on animals to the boys of the Lark Ellen Home.

Dr. and Mrs. David Watson spent Sunday and Monday at their cottage at Laguna Beach. An especially low tide was the attraction which drew them there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walters of San Bernardino road spent the week-end at Ontario as the guests of the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. August Goetze.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Landram entertained last Saturday and Sunday the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Routt of Fresno, their son, Professor Routt of Alhambra, and their niece, Miss Bessie Landram of Merced. Mr. Routt is a retired business man of Fresno and will spend the winter in Southern California, making his home in Alhambra.

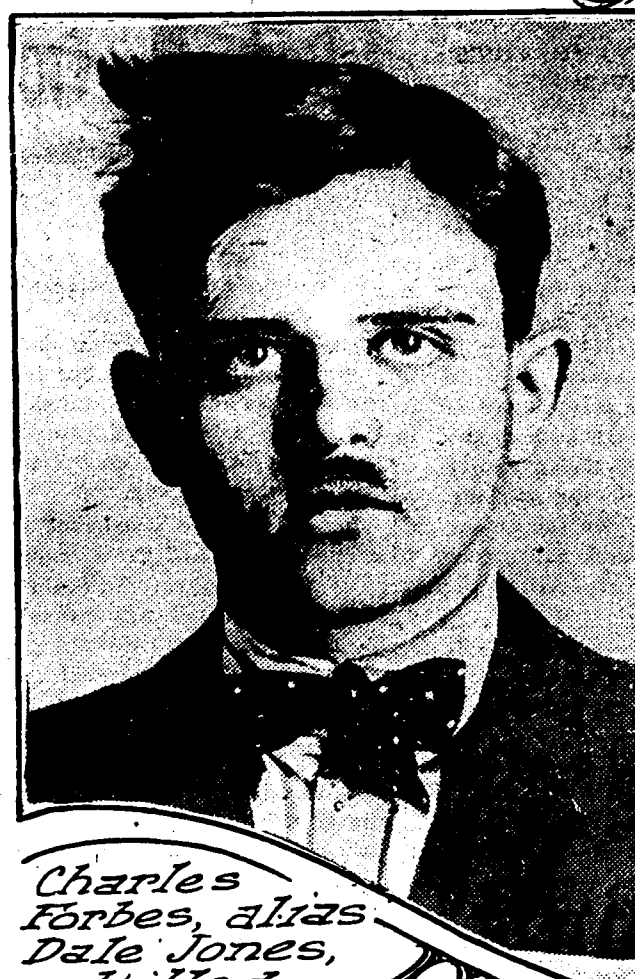
Officer Van Vliet Shot

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ed themselves in an old shed back of the filling station and directly connected therewith, while the two deputy sheriffs hid behind the shed. About 5 o'clock a Cadillac roadster, carrying an Illinois license tag inside and a Missouri license outside, glided down the boulevard. Mrs. Forbes, formerly Marie Celano was at the wheel. She drove about 150 feet past the oil station and stopped near a clump of trees. Forbes jumped out of the car, went among the trees and took a long look to see if the coast was clear. Apparently satisfied that all was well, he returned to the car. Mrs. Forbes then turned around and drove up in front of the oil station.

DESPERATE FIGHT.

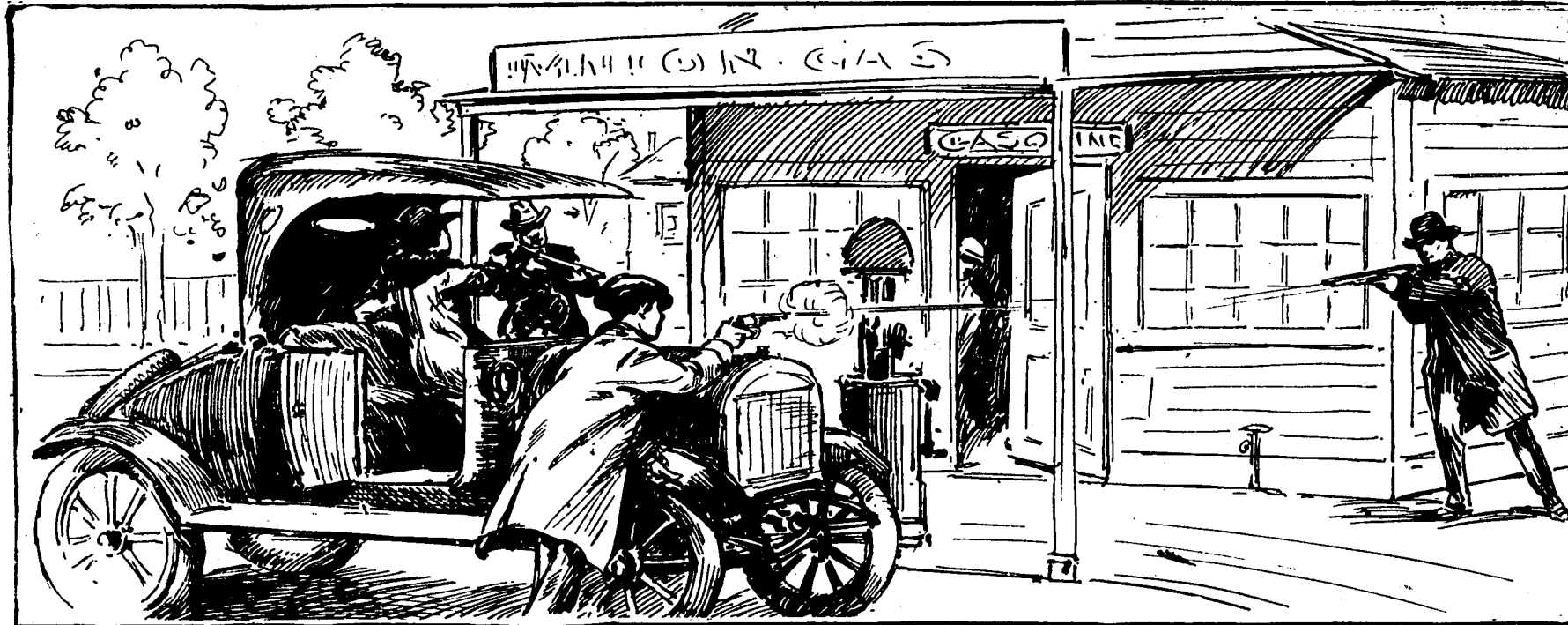
Forbes hopped out and went in. He stopped at the counter, conversed with the clerk a moment, paid for the oil he intended to put in the car tank, and then walked out. At that moment the clerk signaled to the officers. Deputy Sheriff Anderson and Van Vliet emerged on either side of the station. They reached opposite corners of the building almost simultaneously, and, as they stepped out they cried, "Throw up your hands."



Charles Forbes, alias Dale Jones, killed.



Marie Celano killed.



The battle, drawn from officers' description.

Forbes threw his hands up and cried out, "You've got me!" But as he raised his hands he drew two revolvers—a German Luger gun from his arm holster and a Smith & Wesson .38-caliber from his hip pocket. Without waiting to forecast results, Deputy Sheriff Anderson opened fire. Forbes returned the fire and Mrs. Forbes, sliding down in the bottom of the car and grabbing an automatic pistol which was within easy reach, turned loose on Van Vliet. It is believed that it was one of her bullets which hit him in the breast. She was killed by a charge of buckshot from Anderson's gun. A moment later Anderson brought down Forbes. He killed both by shooting them through the head.

The automobile engine was still running when the woman toppled over with three buckshot through her head. Her lifeless foot slipped from the brake and the machine ran ahead a couple of hundred feet and stalled in a ditch.

Deputy Van Vliet, blood gushing from a wound in his breast, was hurried to the hospital at the balloon school. A few minutes later it was discovered that Private Brock, who had been waiting about twenty-five yards from the oil station for an auto to take him to Los Angeles, had been shot through the back by a stray bullet. He was found lying unconscious in the grass at the roadside, and was taken to the hospital with Van Vliet.

FINE RECORD.

Van Vliet was shot through the body just above the heart. The bullet went clear through. At the hospital it was first thought that his chances to recover

were about even, but he died four hours after reaching the hospital. Mrs. Van Vliet, who was notified of the tragedy by Deputy Sheriff W. M. Holtz, received the news heroically. He was 45 years old. He leaves the widow and three children. He entered the sheriff's office under Billy Hammel about fifteen years ago, and worked mostly on transportation cases. About two years ago a prisoner he was bringing in from El Paso jumped off the train. Van Vliet leaped from his Pullman berth, flung himself out of a car window, and barefooted pursued his man two miles and recaptured him. He was regarded as one of the most efficient men in the sheriff's office.

In the auto driven by Mrs. Forbes were a rifle and a shotgun. Detective Captain Home says these guns were the ones Forbes had on him and were the same ones he used in various shooting scrapes in Colorado and Kansas last year and the year before. The woman was identified by Captain Home as the wife of Charles Tully Lynn, who was wanted in connection with the Culver City bank robbery, but who got away and went to Arizona, where he joined Forbes. The woman was also a sister-in-law of Ray Niemeyer, who was a Culver bank robbery suspect. She had been living with Forbes for months, it is said.

Forbes made his first appearance in Los Angeles in 1914. He was then a youth of about sixteen years. He was a good-looking blond boy, with a disarming manner about him, and people did not take him seriously, although he had a long police record in Missouri, and

was soon "in bad" with the police.

Before being in Los Angeles many days Forbes was wanted by the police for highway robbery, holdups and grand larceny. After that he was almost constantly in trouble. Subsequently he was picked up on suspicion of having been in the Culver City job.

After his arrest for the Culver City job, Forbes was taken back to Butler, Mo., where he was wanted on suspicion of having killed a man, but in some manner he managed to escape from the authorities there, and he immediately resumed his career as an outlaw.

MANY CRIMES.

Forbes was born in the woods of Missouri twenty-one years ago, the son of a day laborer in a box factory. He fell in at the age of 13 with John Shead, a few years older, who is now serving a ninety-nine year term in the Missouri penitentiary. Shead and Forbes stole from box cars and railroad warehouses. Detective Koger of Kansas City was shot and killed while trying to capture them. Forbes was once rescued from his guards on a railroad train by Shead, who killed one of the officers.

With two other youths, Forbes robbed a railway postoffice car at Iola, Kansas, July 10, 1918, and though two others were captured, Forbes escaped. Recently he was sought for as the result of shooting and killing at Colorado Springs, September 13, this year, of Captain of Detectives J. W. Roman by a gang of young men and women desperadoes, of which Forbes was a member.

The interest in Forbes lay in the fact that he was apparently a refined youth

of quiet manners and neat appearance, and one who at once raised the question if some mistake had not been made in arresting him. And yet when searched while being returned from Los Angeles to Missouri, the boy, when 19 years old, managed to hide in his hat a package of red pepper and in his shoes a number of fine steel saws, files, and steel springs, showing that he was preparing for his next escape.

Three years ago in Los Angeles, Dr. Victor D. la Tour, a criminologist, talked to Forbes in jail and reported that all of the boy's criminal deeds were due to suggestions from others. He said that Forbes was the most susceptible of any person he had ever met to the influence of others. Dr. La Tour wrote on a piece of paper, "You must write seven," folded it up and handed it to the young man and told Forbes to jot down any number between one and twenty without unfolding the paper. Without having seen what the doctor had written and without the slightest hesitation Forbes wrote the number seven.

Charles R. Burger, now county civil service commissioner, interested himself in Forbes's case when the boy was arrested in Los Angeles three years ago and declared that at that time Forbes had been wrongfully accused by the Missouri authorities of wholesale crimes ranging from murder to petty larceny. Burger at that time in a written communication described Forbes as "a quiet, soft spoken, modest and courteous young man of 17, away above the average in intelligence, admired and liked by all who came in contact with him."

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES.

Unless the epidemic interferes, it is the plan of the District Federation to have two distinctive club days, November 23, which is California Day, and the 26th, which is woman's day at the California Liberty Fair, Los Angeles. The district board is planning to be in charge at the Federation headquarters (Armory building) Nov. 23, and the state organization on the 26th. All club women are urged to attend the fair on these special days and report at the Federation headquarters. A goodly delegation should go from the Covina club.

The club members are greatly interested in the plan of the war activities committee to have a "Melting Pot," for the odd bits of gold and silver which accumulates in the average household and are usually stored away in some drawer corner. Further notice of this plan will be given later. In many clubs this method of salvaging old material has resulted in a large fund for the Red Cross work.

Monday afternoons, except the third, which is the regular program afternoon, the club members meet at the Red Cross rooms to sew under the direction of the War Activities committee.

On these afternoons either Mrs. Carl Shirley or Mrs. Martha Webb will be at the Red Cross rooms to receive dues of members, either former or the new.

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A complete exposure of the Prussian diabolical schemes is contained in a book just off of the press, written by R. W. Hadden of this city. We can recommend our readers to secure a copy at once. Before reading this book we had no conception of the danger which threatened the United States from the Prussian beast.

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